

**PENDING CLAIMS:**

- 1. (previously presented)** A recording medium readable by an information processor, having at least digital sound data and a program for controlling the reproduction of the digital sound data separately recorded therein, wherein:
  - the digital sound data is encrypted; and
  - a decrypting method and key information for decrypting the encrypted digital sound data is recorded in the program.
  
- 2. (previously presented)** A recording medium readable by an information processor, comprising:
  - an area where encrypted digital sound data is recorded; and
  - an area where a program for controlling operation of the information processor is recorded; wherein
    - a decrypting method and key information for decrypting the encrypted digital sound data are recorded in the program.

**4. (previously presented)** The recording medium of claim 2, wherein the area where encrypted digital sound data are recorded records a plurality of digital sound data encrypted by a plurality of encrypting methods, and a plurality of decrypting methods and key information are recorded for the plurality of recorded digital sound data.